

## Hampton Police Division Media Release

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**For Immediate Release** 

October 27, 2014

Robbery from Business Investigation: 2300 Block of West Mercury Boulevard

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in identifying the suspect in connection with a business robbery that occurred on October 26, 2014.

At 6:52 p.m., Hampton Police responded to the CVS pharmacy, located in the 2300 block of West Mercury Boulevard, in reference to a robbery from business complaint. The investigation revealed that a single suspect armed with a firearm entered the business and demanded narcotics. After receiving the narcotics, the suspect fled the business. When the robbery occurred there were no patrons inside of the business and there were no injuries to any of the employees.

The suspect is described as: an African-American male with a light complexion, 5'07"-6'00", 150-165 ponds. He was last seen wearing black pants, a gray short sleeve shirt with a patch on the left sleeve, white baseball hat and he utilized a white t-shirt to conceal his identity.

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at **727-6111** or the Crime Line at **1-888-LOCK-U-UP**. Tipsters can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Crime Line by texting "HAMPTONPDTIPS plus your tip" to **274637 (CRIMES).** Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00.

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release
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